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DEVICE, DATA PREPARATION DEVICE, ELECTRONIC DEVICE, AND  
OPERATION DATA MANAGEMENT DEVICE

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

In response to the Official Action currently outstanding in the above-identified case, which Official Action the Examiner has designated as being FINAL, Applicants respectfully request that the subject application be amended as follows so as to place it in condition for allowance, or at least in better form for Appeal, as required by 37 C.F.R. 1.116:

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